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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: DENSHAM et al.For: POWER MANAGEMENT FOR BATTERY POWERED APPLIANCES

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- ☒ Letter: SUBMISSION OF INCOMPLETE APPLICATION  
☒ Specification 7 pages; Claims 2 pages; Abstract 1 page  
☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney  
☒ Sheet(s) of drawings 3 pages  
☐ An assignment of the invention to: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ A certified copy of \_\_\_\_\_ application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Prior Art Disclosure Statement  
☐ Preliminary Amendment

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 by way of \_\_\_\_\_ patent application  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.

Benefit is hereby claimed under Title 35, United States Code 119(e) of United States provisional  
 application No. 60/234,442 filed September 21, 2000.

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